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AMENĎMENT

Dear Sir:

Introductory Comments

This is in response to the Office Action dated March 7, 2003, which has statutorily shortened period for response that ends June 7, 2003. Applicant submits herewith a petition for extension of time for one month, thereby to allow this response to be filed by today, i.e. July 7th.

The following amendments are presented in a format set forth in a "Revised Notice" AMENDMENTS MAY NOW BE SUBMITTED IN REVISED FORMAT" which is essentially same as the format being adopted in July 2003 by revision to 37 C.F.R 1.121 (Manner of Making Amendments). Specifically, in the following amendments, the text being added is shown underlined and the text being deleted is shown struck through. Moreover, only a marked up version of each replacement paragraph and each replacement claim is provided below (because a clean copy is no longer required).

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